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In re application of: Middelstadt et al.

Application No. 10/651,457

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For: WEB MATERIAL ADVANCE SYSTEM

FOR WEB MATERIAL APPLICATOR

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AMENDMENT AND REPLY TO FINAL ACTION

This responds to the final Office action mailed May 18, 2005. Please amend the referenced application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 8.

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